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The National Order
of the
Knights
of the Golden Horseshoe



Instituted 1716

Reorganized April 15, 1916

*Order of the Knights of the Golden Horseshoe,
1716-1916*

(The object of this Order, as reorganized, is to perpetuate the memory of an important historical event. It, therefore, extends the privilege of membership not only to descendants of the original "Knights," but also to others of worthy lineage.)

THE Order of the "Knights of the Horseshoe," instituted in 1716 by the Colonial Governor Alexander Spotswood, of Virginia, was revived in the City of Washington on April 15, 1916.

It was just 200 years before that Governor Spotswood, man of vision as well as action, dreamed of crossing the Appalachian Mountains and was the first to successfully achieve his purpose. John Fontaine, who accompanied the expedition, wrote of the adventure; Hugh Jones, A. M., chaplain of the "Honorable Assembly" and minister at Jamestown, Va., retold the picturesque narrative in 1724; Howe the historian, Edward Ingle of Baltimore, and many others to whom the adventure made appeal, told the story, each in his own way. From these painters of past events is glimpsed a picture of Governor Spotswood and John Fontaine setting gayly out, on August 20, 1716, to attempt that which had hitherto been deemed impossible. They were joined en route between Williamsburg and Germanna by several gentlemen, 14 rangers and 4 Meherrin Indians. They carried ample provisions and did not lack liquid refreshment, for their scribe enumerates "white and red wine, asquebaugh, brandy shrub, two kinds of rum, champagne, canary, cherry punch and cider."

Before beginning the ascent, the well-mounted, well-armed company had their horses shod, horses being accustomed to traverse the low country, where there were few stones, without shoes, and then camping and eating and drinking by night and pressing sturdily on by day the party finally reached the mountain's summit, where they cut his Majesty's name upon the rock

of the highest peak, naming it Mount George, in honor of the sovereign, King George I, and the next highest peak Mount Alexander, in honor of Governor Spotswood. Finally they descended to the Valley of the Shenandoah, loaded their muskets and feasted. They drank the health of the King in champagne and fired a volley; the health of the Princess in burgundy and fired a volley; the health of all other members of the royal family in claret and fired a volley, and wound up by drinking the health of the energetic Governor who had led them to the promised land—not forgetting the volley.

And then they rode homeward as cheerily as they had set out, reaching Williamsburg on September 17, and having traveled 43 miles. To commemorate the event and encourage new enterprises and settlements westward, Governor Spotswood gave to each of the company a miniature golden horseshoe, set with garnets to represent nail heads. Upon each was the inscription "*Sic juvat transcendere montes*" (Thus it is delightful to cross the mountains) and on the reverse side was inscribed The Transmontane Order. Thus the members of the expedition were known as the "Knights of the Horseshoe" and any gentleman was entitled to wear this golden horseshoe that could prove he had drunk his Majesty's health upon the summit of Mount George. The golden emblem was handed down from year to year, but it is believed that all have now disappeared. Among the last upon whom the honor was bestowed was an Indian. On September 12, 1722, Governor Spotswood ended the conference with the Five Nations by giving to the Indian speaking for the tribes the horseshoe which he wore upon his breast. He bade the interpreter tell the Indian the badge would help him cross the mountains and could be carried as a "pass" when his people came back to Virginia. Edward Ingle wrote in the *Magazine of American History* in 1887: "As the middle figure in the field of Western discovery between Christopher Columbus kissing the ground of San Salvador in 1492 and the explorers Lewis and Clarke making their way in 1803-1806 to the Pacific Coast, stands Alexander Spotswood, drinking on the summit of the Blue Ridge Mountains a health to his English sovereign."

Following a preliminary meeting held at the residence of St. George Tucker Brooke, father of Francis J. Taliaferro

Brooke and a descendant of one of the original Knights, the Order of the Knights of the Golden Horseshoe was revived and a constitution adopted April 15, 1916, at the Octavia, the residence of Dr. Joseph G. B. Bulloch, on Columbia Road, Washington, D. C. Its purpose is historical. Only those are eligible whose ancestors performed service, military or civic, of the highest degree in the Colonies. The personal qualifications of the eligible descendants must also measure up to standards specified in the constitution. The following persons were elected officers of the Order at the reorganization:

President-general, Thomas C. Washington, Washington; first vice-president-general, Dr. Lyon G. Tyler, of William and Mary College, Virginia; second vice-president-general, Harvey C. Thomas, Baltimore; third vice-president-general, Dr. J. G. B. Bulloch, Washington; provost-general, Francis B. Culver, Baltimore; registrar-general, Mrs. Harvey C. Thomas, Baltimore; deputy provost-general, Daniel Smith Gordon, Washington; treasurer-general, Miss Virginia Fairfax Gordon, Washington; keeper of the seal, Miss Emma H. Bulloch, Washington; knight bearer of the sword, Dr. Arthur Adams, Hartford, Conn., and herald marshal-general, Francis John Taliaferro Brooke, Charles-
town, W. Va.

The Original Knights of the Horseshoe

(A few names are missing. The first ten are mentioned by Fontaine in his "Journal"; the remainder by Dr. Slaughter, Dr. Carruthers and others.)

Governor Alexander Spotswood

Robert Beverley (of Middlesex)	Benjamin Harrison
Francis Brooke	George Hay
Captain Clouder	Joe Jarvis (scout)
John Fontaine	Rev. Hugh Jones
Captain Mason	Francis Lee
Colonel Robertson	Henry Lee
Dr. Robinson	Charles Ludwell
Austin Smith	Charles Mercer
Hugh Taylor	Bernard Moore
——— Todd	William Moseley
Peter Berkeley	John Munroe
William Beverley	Alexander Nott
Theodorick Bland	Mann Page
Thomas Bray	Edmund Pendleton
William Byrd	John Peyton
Kit Carter	John Randolph
Nathaniel Dandridge	Edward Saunders
Dudley Digges	Peyton Skipwith
Dr. Evelyn	John Washington
Thomas Fairfax	Ralph Wormley
John Fitzhugh	George Wythe
Henry Hall	Oliver Yelverton

*Officers of the National Order of Knights of the
Golden Horseshoe*

President-General

THOMAS CAMPBELL WASHINGTON

First Vice-President-General

DR. LYON GARDINER TYLER

Second Vice-President-General

HARVEY COWMAN THOMAS

Third Vice-President-General

DR. JOSEPH GASTON BAILLIE BULLOCH

Provost-General

FRANCIS BARNUM CULVER

Deputy Provost-General

DANIEL SMITH GORDON

Registrar-General

MRS. HARVEY C. THOMAS

Treasurer-General

MISS ADA AMELIA HADEL

Secretary-General

MRS. JAMES D. IGLEHART

Chancellor and Historian-General

GORDON MONGES ASH

Chaplain-General

REV. ARTHUR ADAMS

Herald Marshal-General

FRANCIS JOHN TALIAFERRO BROOKE

Keeper of the Seal

MISS EMMA HAMILTON BULLOCH

Knight Bearer of the Sword

DR. MARCUS BENJAMIN

Knight Commanders

Gordon M. Ash (Maryland).....Frederick, Md.
Robert F. J. McCowan (New Jersey).....Bridgeton, N. J.
Colonel Champe Carter McCulloch (Texas)..Washington, D. C.
Frank Hervey Pettingell (California).....Los Angeles, Ca.

*Original Members of the National Order of Knights
of the Golden Horseshoe*

(Arranged in Order of Admission)

Thomas C. Washington.....	Washington, D. C.
Joseph G. B. Bulloch, M. D.....	Washington, D. C.
Mrs. Joseph G. B. Bulloch (nee Bailey).....	Washington, D. C.
Miss Emma H. Bulloch.....	Washington, D. C.
William G. G. Bulloch.....	Washington, D. C.
Douglas E. St. C. Bulloch.....	Washington, D. C.
Daniel Smith Gordon.....	Washington, D. C.
Mrs. Daniel Smith Gordon (nee White).....	Washington, D. C.
Mrs. Eldon Cromwell Lewis (nee Gordon)....	Washington, D. C.
Mr. Lyon G. Tyler.....	Williamsburg, Va.
Rev. Arthur Adams.....	Hartford, Conn.
Francis B. Culver.....	Baltimore, Md.
Harvey C. Thomas.....	Baltimore, Md.
Mrs. Harvey C. Thomas (nee Horner).....	Baltimore, Md.
Francis J. T. Brooke.....	Charlestown, W. Va.
Miss Ada A. Hadel.....	Baltimore, Md.
Mrs. James D. Iglehart (nee Watson).....	Baltimore, Md.
Robert J. McCandlish.....	Hancock, Md.
Mrs. W. Samuel Goodwyn (nee Hedges).....	Emporia, Va.
Mrs. Warner Moore (nee Dunlop).....	Richmond, Va.
Robert F. J. McCowan.....	Bridgeton, N. J.
Mrs. W. C. N. Merchant (nee Blake).....	Chatham, Va.
Miss Elizabeth Collins Lee.....	Baltimore, Md.
Mr. Marcus Benjamin.....	Washington, D. C.
Mrs. C. M. Tardy (nee Southerne).....	Birmingham, Ala.
Mrs. Waldine F. Kopperl (nee Zimpleman)....	Galveston, Texas
Col. Malcolm H. Crump.....	Bowling Green, Ky.
Mrs. George H. Wilson (nee Bailey).....	Louisville, Ky.
Warner Moore, Jr.....	Richmond, Va.
Mrs. Weems Ridout (nee Marden).....	Annapolis, Md.
Colonel Champe C. McCulloch.....	Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Benjamin L. Purcell (nee Pleasants).....Glen Allen, Va
 Hon. A. Leo Knott (deceased).....
 Miss Mary L. Dancy.....Albany, Ala
 Miss Unity D. Dancy.....Albany, Ala
 Mrs. J. Fall Roberson (nee Thompson).....Cropwell, Ala
 Mrs. James O. James (nee Robinson).....Petersburg, Va
 Mrs. P. H. Hale (nee Strong).....St. Louis, Mo
 Mrs. Robert J. Johnston (nee Stoddard).....Humboldt, Iowa
 Mrs. Wells Thompson (nee Tait).....Houston, Texas
 Frank H. Pettingell.....Los Angeles, Ca
 Orra Eugene Monnette.....Los Angeles, Ca
 Gordon M. Ash.....Frederick, Md
 Mrs. George F. Longan (nee Walker).....Sedalia, Mo
 Mrs. D. H. Saunders (nee Bradford).....Pine Bluff, Ark
 Mrs. Clement W. Nelson (nee Kenney).....St. Louis, Mo
 Mrs. Charles S. Keith (nee Hill).....Kansas City, Mo
 Mrs. Nellis M. Rich (nee Ingersoll).....Syracuse, N. Y

Constitution of the National Order of the Knights of the Golden Horseshoe

PREAMBLE

Whereas, The history of a country may be defective by reason of imperfect research, and facts formerly well known may, through lapse of time, be questioned with respect to their authenticity, we, therefore, desiring to revive the memories of the past and to keep a record of the historical events relating to this land of our forefathers, as well as to preserve to posterity the lineage of those who are numbered among the founders of the American commonwealth, do hereby revive and reorganize that historic Order instituted by Governor Alexander Spotswood, of Virginia, and known as the Knights of the Horseshoe.

ARTICLE I

Name

This Order shall be designated as the National Order of the Knights of the Golden Horseshoe, and the male members thereof shall be known as "Knights." The female members of the Order shall be known as Ladies of the Golden Horseshoe.

ARTICLE II

Location

The headquarters of the Order shall be located in the City of Washington, District of Columbia, or wherever the President-General of the Order may maintain his legal residence.

ARTICLE III

Meetings

The seventeenth day of September, the day of Governor Spotswood's return to Williamsburg, Va., with his band of gentlemen from their westward journey of exploration and discovery, shall be designated as the Anniversary Meeting of this Order.

It shall be required to call meetings of the Order only when the Council deems it advisable or appropriate so to do, inasmuch as this organization shall be regarded rather according to the pattern of such foreign orders as the Knights of the Garter, the Knights of the Bath, etc., and therefore not subject to the necessity of regular stated meetings.

The City of Washington, or the locality where the President-General of the Order may be residing, shall be the place of meeting of the National Society.

ARTICLE IV

Object

To unite all members of the Order or their descendants to the end that a continuous record may be preserved of the only noble Order of Knights formed in Colonial days who, by their initiative and prowess, annexed to Virginia a vast territory, and that authentic genealogical lines of descent therefrom be kept so that future generations shall know who were the descendants of this illustrious band of original Knights, and to extend the right of admission to other desirable individuals whose ancestors achieved distinction in the Colonial period of American history.

ARTICLE V

Qualifications

All descendants, both male and female, of that band of gentlemen organized by Governor Spotswood and by him designated Knights of the Horseshoe, are eligible to this Order.

And, in addition to the aforesaid, the male and female descendants of Colonial military or naval officers in any of the Colonies from the earliest settlement and prior to the fourth of July, 1776; as also of all royal Governors, Lieutenant-Governors or Deputy Governors, Acting Governors, Speakers and Chaplains of any or all of the Colonial General Assemblies, and of the Virginia House of Burgesses, members of the Royal Governor's Council in each Colony or Province, all Secretaries of State, Auditors-General, Receivers-General, Treasurers, Attorneys-General, Secretaries of the Council, Judges of the Provincial Courts, Justices and Sheriffs of the counties, or any of similar status who held

sitions of separate individual function; also members of the Grand Assembly who, on October 10, 1649, proclaimed Charles as King of Virginia.

Membership in the Colonial General Assemblies, or the Virginia House of Burgesses, does not constitute an eligible claim, unless such ancestor occupied in addition thereto one or more of the offices or positions aforementioned.

ARTICLE VI

The General Officers of the National Order shall consist of the following:

President-General	Treasurer-General
First Vice-President-General	Secretary-General
Second Vice-President-General	Chancellor and Historian-General
Third Vice-President-General	Chaplain-General
Provost-General	Herald Marshal-General
Deputy Provost-General	Keeper of the Seal
Registrar-General	Knight Bearer of the Sword

ARTICLE VII

Government

There shall be a Supreme Council composed of the foregoing General Officers of the Order, and three members of the Council shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, the amendment of the Constitution, the creation of offices and the election and appointment of officers.

ARTICLE VIII

General Duties of Officers

The duties of the officers of this Order shall be those ordinarily performed by such officers in similar organizations.

ARTICLE IX

Special Duties of Officers

The Provost-General shall appoint such officers of the several States as may be deemed expedient, and there shall be for each State an officer, not of the Council, who shall be the chief officer

of the State in which he resides, and officially known as Knight Commander of the State of _____ in America.

The Chancellor-General shall issue all certificates of membership, and the said certificates shall bear the countersign of the Provost-General.

ARTICLE X

Membership

Membership shall be by invitation only, and the first fifty members to be elected shall be designated as "Original Members."

The Order may also admit to honorary membership certain dignitaries of official position with the approval of the President-General and the Provost-General.

ARTICLE XI

Dues

The only fee required is ten (\$10) dollars, covering initiation fee and life membership.

ARTICLE XII

Seal

The seal of this Order (heraldically blazoned) shall be as follows: *Arms*—Quarterly, 1 and 4, *Argent, a chevron gules between three oak trees eradicated vert*, (for Spotswood); 2 and 3, *Or, a sword and an Indian arrow in saltire sable; in the distance mountains azure with the sun setting in the west.*

Crest: An eagle displayed gules, looking to the sun in its splendor.

Supporters: Two cat-a-mountains proper.

Motto: Ad astra per aspera.

ARTICLE XIII

Insignia

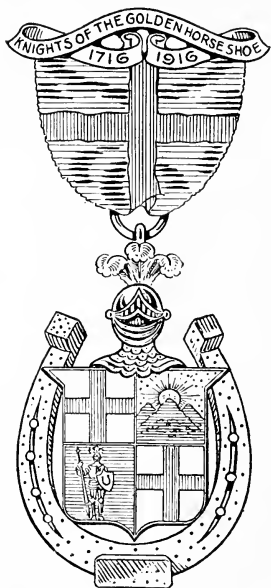
The insignia shall consist of a golden horseshoe, studded with seven garnets and bearing on its reverse side the motto, *Sic juvat transcendere montes*, which shall be suspended from a ribbon of white silk charged with the red cross of St. George; the ribbon,

Insignia



*Special Design for
Original Members*

Insignia
Knights of the Golden Horseshoe



Badge for use of all members

in turn, depending from a gold bar inscribed with the letters and figures 1716 KGH 1916, and surmounted by a plumed helmet of gold or silver. This design of insignia shall be limited to original members only, and may be worn only upon ceremonial or full-dress occasions.

The design of insignia which may be worn by all members of this Order shall be as follows:

QUARTERLY: 1 and 4, Argent a cross gules: 2, Or a mountain azure with the sun setting in the west: 3, Azure a knight armed cap-à-pie argent, all environed by a horseshoe with ends upward or, studded with seven garnets. A plumed helmet affronté argent, suspended by a ribbon of white silk, charged with a St. George's cross, and attached to a gold clasp ribbon bearing the legend KNIGHTS OF THE GOLDEN HORSE-SHOE, 1716-1916.

ARTICLE XIV

Rosette

A rosette of red silk, with a golden horseshoe in the center, which may be worn only upon ordinary occasions in the upper button hole of the left lapel of the coat (not overcoat), and shall not be used at the same time with the other insignia of the Order.

ARTICLE XV

Amendments

Any amendment may be proposed by a member of the Council and acted upon by a majority of those present.

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The Charter of the Order of the Knights of the Golden Horseshoe

We, the undersigned citizens of the United States of America, a majority being citizens of the District of Columbia, desiring to associate ourselves for historical and genealogical purposes, pursuant to the provisions of Sub-Chapter 3, of Chapter 18, of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, do certify as follows:

FIRST—The name of the Order shall be known in law as the Knights of the Golden Horseshoe.

SECOND—The term for which it is organized shall be perpetual.

THIRD—The particular business and objects of the Order shall be for historical and genealogical purposes.

FOURTH—The number of its Trustees, Directors or Managers for the first year of its existence shall be five.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have this ninth day of December, A. D. 1915, hereunto set our hands and seals.

J. G. B. BULLOCH. (Seal.)

WM. GASTON BULLOCH. (Seal.)

WITNESS: DANIEL SMITH GORDON. (Seal.)

LEROY GADDIS, JR.

I, Leroy Gaddis, Jr., a Notary Public in and for the District of Columbia, do hereby certify that J. G. B. Bulloch, M. D., William Gaston Bulloch, Daniel Smith Gordon, parties to a certain Certificate of Incorporation bearing date of the 9th day of December, 1915, and hereto annexed, personally appeared before me in said District, the said J. G. B. Bulloch, M. D., William Gaston Bulloch, Daniel Smith Gordon, being personally well known to me as the persons who executed the said Certificate and acknowledged the same to be their act and deed.

Given under my hand and seal this ninth day of December, A. D. 1915.

LEROY GADDIS, JR.

(Notarial Seal.)

Notary Public, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF DEEDS

District of Columbia

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and verified copy of the Certificate of Incorporation of the "Knights of the Golden Horseshoe" and of the whole of said Certificate as filed in this office the 15th day of December, A. D. 1915, and recorded in Liber 32, folio 11, et seq., one of the Incorporation Records of the District of Columbia.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of this office this 3th day of June, A. D. 1919.

*R. W. DUTTON,
Deputy Recorder of Deeds, D. C.*

(Seal.)

Members and Their Ancestors

(Ancestor's name in italics indicates the *ancestor propositus*.)

ADAMS, REV. ARTHUR

Descendant of *Richard Hancock* (d. 1689), of New Jersey Surveyor-General: magistrate: member of Assembly—Also, of Jeremy Adams and Jonathan Adams.

ASH, GORDON MONGES

Descendant of *Francis Yarnall* (1660-1721), of Pennsylvania Provincial Magistrate: member of Pennsylvania Assembly—Also of Capt. Jacob Morgan, Sr., Col. Jacob Morgan, Jr.

BENJAMIN, DR. MARCUS

Descendant of Governor *William Bradford* (1589-1657), of Plymouth: signer of the Mayflower compact: first Governor of Plymouth Colony—Also, of Major William Bradford II.

BROOKE, FRANCIS J. TALIAFERRO

Descendant of *Francis Brooke*, of Virginia: one of Spotswood's "Knights of the Horseshoe."

BULLOCH, DR. JOSEPH G. BAILLIE

Descendant of Hon. *Archibald Bulloch* (1729-1777), of Georgia Speaker of the Royal Assembly: President of the Provincial Congress: President and Commander-in-Chief of Georgia—Also of Col. Kenneth Baillie, etc.

BULLOCH, DOUGLAS E. ST. CLOUD

BULLOCH, WILLIAM GASTON GLEN

Descendants of Hon. *Archibald Bulloch* (1729-1777), of Georgia (same as preceding).

BULLOCH, MRS. JOSEPH G. BAILLIE

Descendant of Ensign *John Bailey* (b. *ante* 1696), of Connecticut: officer in Second Company from West Haddam, Conn.

BULLOCH, MISS EMMA HAMILTON

Descendant of Hon. Colonel *James De Veaux* (1710-1788), of Georgia: Colonel and Senior Justice of the King's Court: Assistant Judge of the General Court: Colonel of the First Regiment of Foot—Also, of Edmund Bellinger, Col. Noble Jones, Capt. N. W. Jones, Hon. John Curtis, Hon. Peter Alricks and Hon. Archibald Bulloch.

CRUMP, MALCOLM HART

Descendant of Colonel *Bernard Moore*, of Virginia: one of Spotswood's "Knights of the Horseshoe": Colonel of Virginia Militia: member of Virginia House of Burgesses.

CULVER, FRANCIS BARNUM

Descendant of Lieutenant *Edward Culver* (1654-1732), of Connecticut: military officer of New London County, and in command of partisan forces from Woodstock to Enfield—Also, of Hon. John Clarke (royal charterer), Rev. Samuel Stone, Capt. Samuel Hinman, Lieut. William Backus, Lieut. William Pratt, Lieut. Thomas Cadwell, Lieut. Thomas Ball.

DANCY, MISS MARY LOUISE

DANCY, MISS UNITY DANDRIDGE

Descendants of Governor *Alexander Spotswood* (1676-1740), of Virginia: aide to the Duke of Marlborough: Governor of Virginia: organizer and leader of the "Knights of the Horseshoe": Major General to command expedition against Carthagera.

GOODWYN, MRS. W. SAMUEL

Descendant of Governor *Robert Brooke* (1602-1655), of Maryland: member of Council: commander of Charles County, Maryland: President of Council and Acting Governor of Maryland—Also, of Major Thomas Brooke III, Colonel and Governor Thomas Brooke II, Major Thomas Brooke I, Col. Samuel Beall, Jr., Capt. Samuel Magruder, Col. Ninian Beall, William Braithwaite, Capt. Isaac Chapline (of Virginia).

GORDON, DANIEL SMITH

Descendant of Captain *John Dent* (d. 1712), of Maryland: Justice of St. Mary's County: Captain at Susquehanna Fort:

Captain to regulate military affairs in Chaptico Hundred, St. Mary's County: vestryman of King and Queen Parish.

GORDON, MRS. DANIEL SMITH

Descendant of Sir *George Yeardley* (1580-1628), of Virginia Governor and Captain-General of Virginia.

HADEL, MISS ADA AMELIA

Descendant of Lieutenant *Thomas Ball* (d. 1722), of Maryland: Lieutenant of Provincial Militia of Talbot County, Md. 1696—Also, of William Jenkins and Henry Baker.

HALE, MRS. P. H.

Descendant of Colonel *Warham Horsmanden* (d. *post* 1683) of Virginia: nominated Councillor 1657-1658: member of Virginia House of Burgesses—Also, of Robert Beverly, Christophe Stokes, Thomas Stegg I, Colonel William Byrd I.

IGLEHART, MRS. JAMES DAVIDSON

Descendant of Dr. *Luke Barber* (d. 1673), of Maryland: Lord of Warburton Manor: Governor Stone's deputy at the Battle of the Severn: member of the Council: Acting Governor of Maryland.

JAMES, MRS. JAMES ORLANDO

Descendant of Colonel *Thomas Avent* (1671-1757), of Virginia Colonel of Surry County, Va., Militia: Justice of Surry County—Also, of Colonel Robert Bolling, Henry Fox, Gov. John West Major John Bolling, John Stith, Colonel Henry Gooch.

JOHNSTON, MRS. ROBERT JAMES

Descendant of Governor *Theophilus Eaton* (1590-1657), of Connecticut: Founder and Governor of New Haven Colony.

KEITH, MRS. CHARLES S.

Descendant of Captain *Joseph White* (1635-1706), of Massachusetts: Captain of Massachusetts Militia: served in King Philip's War, 1675-1676.

KNOTT, A. LEO (deceased)

Descendant of Governor *Edward Digges* (1620-1676), of Virginia: member of Council: Governor of Virginia—Also, of Hon. Robert Brooke, Gov. Richard Bennett, Capt. James Neale, Nehemiah Blakiston, Dr. Thomas Gerard, Col. William Digges, Henry Sewall.

KOPPERL, MRS. WALDINE F. ZIMPLEMAN

Descendant of Governor *Samuel Matthews* (1592-1659), of Virginia: member of Council: King's Commissioner: Captain of Virginia troops: Virginia agent to England: Governor of Virginia—Also, of Major John Smith, Gov. John Bernard, Col. Nicholas Martian, Col. Augustus Warren, Col. George Read, Capt. John Smith, Jr., etc.

LEE, ELIZABETH COLLINS

Descendant of Colonel *Richard Lee* (1597-1664), of Virginia: Attorney-General: Secretary of Virginia: member of Council: Colonel of Militia—Also, of Richard Lee II.

LEWIS, MRS. ELDON CROMWELL

Descendant of Sir *George Yeardley* (1580-1628), of Virginia: Governor and Captain-General of Virginia—Also, of Capt. John Dent.

LONGAN, MRS. GEORGE F.

Descendant of Colonel *Walter Chiles*, gent. (d. 1653), of Virginia: member of Council—Also, of Col. John Page.

McCANDLISH, ROBERT JOHN

Descendant of Colonel *Richard Lee* (1597-1664), of Virginia: Attorney-General: Secretary of Virginia: member of Council: Colonel of Militia—Also, of Hancock Lee, Thomas Walke, Col. Anthony Lawson, Anthony Walke I, Col. William Randolph, Col. Richard Randolph, Col. Robert Bolling, Major John Bolling.

McCOWAN, ROBERT F. J.

Descendant of *William Dare* (d. 1720), of Massachusetts: Sheriff of Salem County, Mass.: Ranger of Salem County; Justice and Judge of Common Pleas: Captain of Salem Militia.

McCULLOCH, COL. CHAMPE CARTER

Descendant of *Edward Hill III* (1637-1700), of Virginia: Colonel of Charles City and Surry Counties: Treasurer of Virginia: Judge of the Court of Admiralty of Virginia and North Carolina—Also, of Gov. Edward Hill II (of Va. and Md.).

MERCHANT, MRS. W. C. N.

Descendant of Colonel *William Randolph* (1651-1711), of Virginia: Clerk of Henrico County: Captain of Militia: Attorney-General of Virginia: Justice and Burgess for Henrico County: Speaker of the House—Also, of Colonel Thomas Randolph, Capt. Henry Isham, John Blake.

MONNETTE, ORRA EUGENE

Descendant of Colonel *Thomas Sprigg* (1630-1704), of Maryland: Justice of Calvert County: Presiding Justice: High Sheriff.

MOORE, MRS. WARNER

MOORE, WARNER, JR.

Descendants of *William Claiborne* (1589-1677), of Virginia: Surveyor-General of Virginia: member of Council: Secretary of State: Treasurer: Burgess for New Kent County, Va.: Parliamentary Commissioner to subdue Maryland and Virginia—Also, of John Carter I, Robert ("King") Carter, Lewis Burwell, Benjamin Harrison I, Benjamin Harrison II, John West—Also, of Mary Anne Fontaine (wife of Matthew Maury), sister of John Fontaine, one of Spotswood's "Knights of the Horseshoe."

NELSON, MRS. CLEMENT WILLIAM

Descendant of Captain *Charles Merryman* (d. 1725), of Maryland: Captain of Militia of Baltimore County, Maryland: signed as military officer, address to King William of England.

PETTINGELL, FRANK HERVEY

Descendant of Colonel *John March* (1658-1712), of Massachusetts: Captain of Expedition to Canada: Major of forces sent against Indians at Damaris Cove, Me.: Lieutenant-Colonel commanding against French at Nova Scotia—Also, of Major William

athorn, Capt. Henry True, Capt. Thomas Bradbury, Capt. William Haskell, Lieut. Tristram Coffin, Capt. Richard Walker, Lieut. Edmund Greenleaf, Lieut. Edward Woodman, Capt. James Arch.

PURCELL, MRS. BENJAMIN L.

Descendant of *John Rolfe* (1585-1622), of Virginia: member of Council: Secretary of State: Recorder-General of Virginia—Also, William Randolph and Archibald Cary.

RICH, MRS. NELLIS M.

Descendant of Governor *John Webster* (d. 1661), of Connecticut: Governor of Connecticut, 1656—Also, of Joseph Clarke.

RIDOUT, MRS. WEEMS

Descendant of *John Brice* (1705-1766), of Maryland: Judge of Provincial Court: Chief Judge and Member of Council—Also, Capt. John Brice, Hon. Matthew Tilghman, Col. Augustine Herman, Edward Dorsey, Philemon Lloyd, Dr. Charles Carroll, Matthew Van der Heyden.

ROBERSON, MRS. J. FALL

Descendant of Governor *John West* (1590-1659), of Virginia: Governor of Virginia: member of Council: Justice of York County: Quartermaster-General.

SAUNDERS, MRS. D. H.

Descendant of Colonel *James Taylor* (1670-1729), of Virginia: Colonel of Orange County, Va., Militia: Burgess from King and Queen County: one of Spotswood's "Knights of the Horseshoe"? Also, of Cols. John Catlett, Sr. and Jr., Daniel Gaines, Jonathan Gibson, Col. George Taylor, John Vivian, George Goodloe.

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